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Sir:

On March 31, 2006, applicants submitted an Amendment, terminal disclaimer and resubmitted Formal Drawings. Apparently, a notice was sent to Applicants' counsel in April of 2006 regarding a non-compliant amendment. Such notice was never received by Applicants' counsel.

In late 2006 and early 2007, after believing that no action from the Patent Office in this case had been taken, Applicants' counsel contacted the Examiner and was informed of an error in the numbering of the amended claims, which error was ultimately corrected by an Examiner amendment.

Recently, following an additional period of time with no paper received from the Patent Office, Applicants' counsel was contacted by the Patent Office and learned of the April, 2006 notice and that the Formal Drawings submitted on March 31, 2006 (as opposed to the numbering of the claims) were considered non-compliant.

In a discussion with Examiner Thien Minh Le on Friday, October 26, 2007, Applicants' counsel was informed that a flag had been set in this case and that it would be

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removed after Applicants' compliance with the April 2006 Notice. The Examiner faxed a copy of the April, 2006 Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment and stated that he would relay the Applicants' response (upon receipt) to Jackie at the Patent Office in order to fix the flag.

Accordingly, in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, dated April 10, 2006, which was faxed to the Applicants' counsel on October 26, 2007, resubmitted herewith are thirty-five (35) replacement sheets of formal drawings for the above-identified application, which sheets have been expressly designated as "Replacement Sheets".

In view of the foregoing, the Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the above-noted replacement of formal drawings. The Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' undersigned representative should further discussion be warranted.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: October 30, 2007

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